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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated November 1, 2005, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on March 1, 2006. Enclosed is a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.